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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending January 5, 2002

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There was an increase in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending January 5, according to the Department of Workforce Development.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$19,908,483
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$31,153,646
Trust fund balance	\$1,275,4,699

A total of 96,639 unemploy-

ment claims were filed during the week. This was up 8,886 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 74,506 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 13,373 a decrease of 6,053 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported in two motor vehicle-related plants, one metal manufacturing plant, one household furniture plant, one machinery manufacturing plant and one temporary help services company during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 81,816. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

Unemployment Insurance Trends

